

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please rewrite claims 6, 16 and 24 in independent form as follows:

Claim 1 (canceled)

2. (Currently Amended) Method according to claim [[1]] 6, characterized in that said data generation comprises the step of generating at least one special pattern which is decoded so that no clock regeneration of the stored data can be performed by said reading device when accessing the at least one specific portion of the record carrier which stores said special pattern.

3. (Currently Amended) Method according to claim [[1]] 6 characterized in that said data generation comprises the step of copying a synchronization pattern at least once into said at least one specific portion of the record carrier at a respective position normally not having a synchronization pattern.

4. (Currently Amended) Method according to claim [[1]] 6, characterized in that said generated data is arranged to be written to a lead-in portion and/or a middle area and/or a lead-out portion of a session recorded on the record carrier.

5. (Canceled)

6. (Currently Amended) Method according to claim 5 to produce a record carrier which stores data as an asynchronous signal, characterized by the following step:

writing additionally generated data to at least one specific portion of the record carrier so that a general purpose reading device which can access record carriers of different formats which

accesses said record carrier judges said carrier to be unaccessible, characterized in that said modified session pointer additionally generated data is a recursive session pointer.

7. (Currently Amended) Method according to claim [[5]] 6, characterized in that said modified recursive session pointer is arranged in the third session.

8. (Currently Amended) Method according to claim [[1]] 6, characterized in that said record carrier is a CD or DVD.

9. (Canceled)

10. (Canceled)

11. (Canceled)

12. (Currently Amended) Record carrier according to claim [[11]], 16 characterized in that said additionally generated data comprises at least one special pattern which is decoded so that no clock regeneration of the stored data can be performed by said reading device when accessing the at least one specific portion of the record carrier which stores said special pattern.

13. (Currently Amended) Record carrier according to claim [[11]] 16, characterized in that said additionally generated data comprises at least one synchronization pattern at a respective position normally not having a synchronization pattern.

14. (Currently Amended) Record carrier according to claim [[11]] 16, characterized in that said additionally generated data is arranged within a lead-in portion and/or a middle area and/or a lead-out portion of a session recorded on the record carrier.

15. (Canceled)

16. (Currently Amended) Record carrier ~~according to claim 15, which stores data as an asynchronous signal, characterized by additionally generated data within at least one specific portion of the record carrier so that a general purpose reading device which can access record carriers of different formats which accesses said record carrier judges said record carrier to be unaccessible,~~ characterized in that said ~~modified session pointer~~ additionally generated data is a recursive session pointer.

17. (Currently Amended) Record carrier according to claim [[15]] 16, characterized in that said modified recursive session pointer is arranged in the third session.

18. (Currently Amended) Record carrier according to claim [[11]] 16, characterized in that said record carrier is a CD or DVD.

19. (Canceled)

20. (Canceled)

21. (Currently Amended) Record carrier writing device according to claim [[20]] 24, characterized by being able to write patterns to said at least one specific portion of the record

carrier so that for a reading device no clock regeneration of the stored data can be performed when accessing said at least one specific portion of said record carrier.

22. (Currently Amended) Record carrier writing device according to claim [[20]] 24, characterized by being able to write synchronization patters to said at least one specific portion of the record carrier outside areas which are defined for synchronization patterns.

23. (Canceled)

24. (Currently Amended) Record carrier writing device ~~according to claim 23, for writing record carriers which store data as an asynchronous signal, characterized by being able to write additionally generated data to at least one specific portion of the record carrier so that a general purpose reading device which can access record carriers of different formats which accesses said record carrier judges said record carrier to be unaccessable, said additionally generated data being characterized by being able to write a recursive session pointer.~~

25. (Currently Amended) Record carrier writing device according to claim [[23]] 24, characterized by being able to write said ~~modified~~ recursive session pointer in the third session.